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Letter dated 17 March 2006 from the President of the General Assembly to the President of the Economic and Social Council

I have the great honour to transmit the resolution on the Human Rights Council that was adopted by the General Assembly on 15 March 2006 (resolution 60/251).

The resolution requires action by the Economic and Social Council. Paragraph 13 of the resolution recommends the Economic and Social Council to request the Commission on Human Rights to conclude its work at its sixty-second session and abolish the Commission on 16 June 2006. I trust that you will deal with the matter expeditiously so as to ensure a smooth transition between the Commission on Human Rights and the Human Rights Council.

(*Signed*) Jan **Eliasson**

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